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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
TOMOYUKI MIYASHITA ) : Examiner: Unassigned  
Appln. No.: 09/722,397 ) : Group Art Unit: 2621  
Filed: November 28, 2000 ) :  
For: IMAGE PROCESSING ) : April 18, 2001  
APPARATUS AND METHOD, ) :  
AND STORAGE MEDIUM ) :  
THEREFOR ) :

**BOX MISSING PARTS**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**ATTENTION: APPLICATION PROCESSING DIVISION, SPECIAL  
PROCESSING AND CORRESPONDENCE BRANCH**

**REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL OF ERRONEOUSLY ISSUED  
NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS  
OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION - FILING DATE GRANTED**

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (PTO) withdraw the March 29, 2001, Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application for the following reasons.

The Notice incorrectly states that the oath or declaration is missing. However, Applicant filed an executed Declaration/Power of Attorney form on November 28, 2000, with the original application papers. Enclosed is a copy of that executed Declaration/Power of Attorney form, together with the stamped PTO postcard receipt indicating that the Declaration/Power of Attorney form was filed on November 28, 2000.

Also enclosed is a copy of the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF  
NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION - FILING DATE GRANTED.

Accordingly, Applicant submits that the PTO erroneously issued the March 29,  
2001 Notice and respectfully requests that it be withdrawn.

Since the Notice was issued erroneously, Applicant also submits that no \$130.00  
surcharge is due. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee necessary  
for this Request to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office  
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Respectfully submitted,

  
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